# FIVE-CENT FARE

Majority Bow to B. R. T. and Citizens' Union and Bury Bill in Committee.

**82** AGAINST THE PEOPLE.

Republican Leaders Force War on Nickel Ride to Coney Island.

Here are the members of Assembly from Greater New York who voted against the bill for a fivecent fare to Coney Island. Remember the names:

Bennett, Colne. Francis. McCabe C. F. Murphy, Surpless, B. R. Robinson, Voss Weber.

ALBANY, Feb. 18 .- The Assembly to day, taking its cue from the Brooklyn Rapid Transit and the Citizens' Union practically killed the Wagner Five-Cent Coney Island Fare bill by sending it back to the Railroads Committee. The vote was 82 to 63.

The entire Democratic contingent in the House, supported by the following Republicans, voted to save the bill: Conklin, DeGroot, Farrer, Holbrook, Hurley, Johnston, McBride, Sargent, Strauss and Toombs.

The Assemblymen from Greater New

York who followed the lad of the railroad lobby in favor of the motion to Assemblyman Wagner announced that the would insist upon bearing a hearing on the bill next week.

The fight for the bill was begun ten minutes after the epening of the Assembly by a demand for a call of the house by Republican Leader Merritt. The supporters of the measure wanted no bester evidence of (the purpose of the Republican bosses to kill the measure, it possible, by sending it back to the Committee on Railroads. The call of the House brought all the members to their seats.

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The Wagner Five-Cent Fare bill was on the order of second and third read-ing. Assemblyman Merrittt opened the attack by moving to refer the measure back to the Railroads Committee. Assemblyman Wagner protested vig-

orously, saying that the purpose of t act was to seomre a five-cent fare to Coney Island and that it affected New ity only. "We had three hearings on this bill

last year when it passed this House," declared Mr. Wagner. "I know why the attack is made on the measure The railroads argue that the Public Service Commission should be allowed to settle this question. But, according to a decision of the Court of Appeals the Brooklyn Rapid Transit has a legal right to charge 10 cents for the trip to Coney Island. The present law does not apply to old steam railroad franchises, and therefore the Brookly: Rapid Transit has the right to charge

to carry out the original intent of the railroad law, I propose by my bill to amend the law so that no more than five cents can be charged. This amendment is necessary.

Hits Service Board.

Mr. Wagner argued that before a complaint could be filed with the Public Bervice Commission a violation of law by the Brooklyn Rapid Transit must be alleged. But as that company has the right under the present law to charge ten cents, legar complaint could not be made, contended Mr. Wagner. He further insisted that the Public Service Commission has not the power to order a reduction in the fare. The only purpose of this move to recom mit the bill, he said, was to tie up the

question in a long investigation. "The people of New York," declared Mr. Wagner, "are wondering what the Public Service Commission is doing They held afternoon ten parties. Afte investigating the Metropolitan and reaching a point where crime was dis-covered, they suddenly dropped their inquiry. Their investigation of the Broo lyn Rapid Transit was not sincere. realize that the Republican party doot want to alienate the rathroad in terests, because they may need thes



That's depicted here?

But as outline is quite clear And that's the way with real things

World "Lost" Ads, bring them back Thousands Know It-You Try It!

poor of the East Side and not for the rich, who speed to the sea in automobiles. On hot summer days we can see mothers on their way to come I stand to escape the extreme heat of the six. It is for such people that I have offered this bill."

"Mr. Metritt, who new opposes this bill favored it last year but then in washing may be able to the problem of the six and so the problem of the special standard of the problem of the six and the sea in automobiles. The problem of the six and the sea in the sea in the problem of the six and the sea in the s

BATTLE-SHIP FLEET IS NEARING CALLAO.

SAFE FROM BOMB LIMA. Peru. Feb. 18, 10.50 A. M.—A wireless despatch has just been received here from the flext of American least of specific large from the flext of American least of specific large from the flext of American least of specific large from the flext of American least of the first large from the flext of the flext large from the flext of the flext large from the flext large MADRID. Feb. 18.—There is no truth

in the report current in Paris last night that King Alfonso had been assassigned. The rumor probably was an outgrowth of the bomb explosions at Barcelona gesterday, which now appear in have been the work of anarchists. have been the work of anarchists.

King Alfonso is at present at Seville. Thursday morning.

# 50th ANNIVER SARY For Own Fortiery Promise Made For Our 50th Anniversary Sales.

We promised a series of the greatest sales we ever conducted, and that they ARE the greatest will hardly be questioned by the thousands who are profiting by the extraordinary underpricing of staple, seasonable goods.

There is SUSTAINED interest in these sales, because there is no let-up in the supplying of sale stocks. This third week of the series finds a harvest of underprice offerings as noteworthy as any provided earlier. Our advertising details but a part of the sale values. Many as attractive—oftentimes more so-are not advertised and are so placarded.

Many of the sale stocks advertised fall short of the demand. Specials we count sufficient for a day's selling or even more are cleared away completely in much less time.

We invite mail orders, yet on an extraordinary occasion like this, when the counter demands quickly deplete sale stocks, we do not advise placing dependence upon mail orders. Very often it is impossible for us to duplicate the goods advertised, so patrons who depend upon getting Anniversary Sale specials ordered by mail are very frequently disappointed.

Finally-early shopping. We are supplying typical holiday throngs these days, and forenoon shopping has quite as many advantages now as it offers in Christmas rush time.

# Anniversary Special Sale of Women's Storm Coats at \$12.74

Storm Coats-suitable alike for travelling or motoring-made of Priestley's Cravenetted materials, in tan, olive and Oxford. Full circular back model, double-breasted front, finished with two patched pockets and notched collar; new cape sleeves; trimmed with self-strapping.

# Sale of Semi-Made Robes tel Pl.

EMBROIDERY AND BATISTE ROBES, in white, light blue, pink, lavender and champagne; skirts finished with embroidery flounces, the upper part inserted with four bands of wide embroidery; many of the white Robes made entirely of embroidery all-over,

Each Robe complete with sufficient waist material to match; \$9.50 and \$10.50 values; sale..... \$7.48 and \$8.89

# Mackie Dresses for Girls of 4 to 14. 24 FT

At \$1.49-New Model Guimpe Dresses, made of fine quality figured ginghams, in blue rose and pink; fancy shaped bertha of plain chambray, trimmed with stitched bands of white lawn; puff sleeves; full skirt with deep hem; regular price \$1.96. At \$1.69-Low Neck Dresses of plain chambray, in blue, pink, rose; fancy shaped bertha, trimmed with embroidery; puff sleeves; belt of embroidery beading, with velvet ribbon drawn through; full skirt with deep hem; regular price \$2.24.

# Macka Advance Spring Models—Our Exclusive Importation La Comtesse Corset

HE corset can make or unmake the whole costume—no designer however skilful can obtain the desired effect unless the underlying lines are right. And that is why so many leading costumers recommend LA COMTESSE Macys -a corset built by a famous French corsetiere along lines that bring out the beauties and remedy the defects of every type of figure. The new spring models include the following:-

For slender forms:-Medium high bust, deep hips, white linon: sizes 18 to 21... For slender forms:—High bust, short hips, white cretonne; sizes 18 to 21 .... For medium forms;—High bust, long hips, white linon; trimmed with lace and ribbon; sizes 18 to 21...... High bust, long straight hip-line or full hip, white cretonne trimmed with lace and ribbon; sizes 18 to 26 .......

Extra high bust, long back, white coutil; sizes 20 to 30.. \$7.94 The various models are also made in fancy silk or heavy broche, white, pink or blue, at prices ranging from \$7.94 to \$18.24

# More Colored Embroideries: Extraordinary Good Luck.

ARISIAN demands popularized colored Embroideries this season, but outside of France dealers were wary. Now they all want big orders and the Embroideries are not to Macys he had for months to come

A few weeks ago we disposed of an importer's sample line in a remarkably spirited sale. Now we have another lot-even choicer than the former one-but it embraces

# Only 865 Yards in All.

If you would share the Embroideries, be prompt. We cannot duplicate them. On sale Wednesday morning:-In matched sets, consisting of Insertions, Edgings, Demi Flouncings and All-overs; pastel shades daintily embroidered on INSERTIONS AND EDGINGS, imported to sell from \$1.75 a yard; sale, ..... 68c. and 98c ALL-OVERS, imported to sell from \$1.50 to \$2.50 a yard; sale ..... 79c. and 98c

# Millinery Ribbons

Imported Ottoman Ribbon, very fine quality, 57s inches wide, variety or shades adapted for millinery purposes—both plain glace-including pink and light blue; also plain white,

# R. H. Macy & Co.'s Attractions Are Their Low Prices.

Men's and Boys' Gloves.

MEN'S GENUINE MOCHA GLOVES, in tan and grav; half pique sewn, Paris point backs, single clasp; elsewhere

\$1.50; Anniversary sale special ..... 97c BOYS' IMPORTED LEATH-ER GLOVES, half-sewn, embroidered backs, in various shades of tan; elsewhere \$1.00 a pair; Anniversary Sale special .....

# Stationery.

1 stFloor, Rear. WHITING'S AND EATON HURL BUT'S FINE GRADE FABRIC PA-PERS; one-quire boxes; regularly 33c.; special at...... 17c EATON HURLBUT'S FINE GRADE PEMBROKE FABRIC, in two-quire boxes; special at..... 19c HIGH GRADE FABRIC PAPER, in blue, gray and white; pound packages ...... 19c Envelopes to match the above, per package..... FINE VELLUM PAPER, in boxes containing 200 sheets and 54c 150 envelopes .....

Oak Footstools, 31c.

OAK FOOTSTOOLS, 9 inches high, with 11x14 inch tops covered with Japanese matting; 100 in all; regularly 91c. each.

Gold Initialled Dinner Sets By Others Rated as \$15.00 Values Our Price \$6.98

N Anniversary Sale Special that further emphasizes our ab-N Anniversary Sale Special that further emphasizes our absolute supremacy as retail distributors of China and Glass.

These are 100-piece Dinner Sets, every piece perfect quality, from one of the foremost American potteries. quality, from one of the foremost American potteries.

12 dinner plates, 12 tea plates, 12 soup plates, 12 sauce plates, 12 individual butter plates, 12 teacups and saucers, 1 soup tureen, 1 covered vegetable dish, I uncovered vegetable dish, 1 salad bowl, 1 cream pitcher, i sugar howl, i gravy boat, i pickle dish, i covered butter

Each piece decorated with neat gold lines and any initial you may select. We aim to maintain a full assortment of initials, but should we be out of any one wanted it will take but a few days to decorate a set in our shops on the premises.

Our stocks of China, Glass, Lamps and Bric-a-Bracon display and accessible for selling-are larger than the combined stocks of ALL the other department stores in New York City. Of Decorated Dinner Sets we show specimens ranging in price up to 249.63.

# Curtains and Couch Covers at F RENAISSANCE LACE COVERS, 360 pairs, with extra wide lace insertion and edge—the majority with fancy corner pieces:— 175 pairs, \$4.25 quality, sale......\$2.69 185 pairs, \$5.00 quality, sale.....\$2.94 COLORED MADRAS CURTAINS, imported; fine stained glass effects; full length and width-\$5.00 grades, pair, \$3.48; \$6.25 grades, pair.....\$4.48

NEGUS TAPESTRY COUCH COVERS, Oriental designs and colorings; 60 inches wide, finished with tassel fringe; elsewhere \$3.96; sale ......\$2.74

(Estimates submitted for awnings, window shades and slip covers. Furniture re-upholstered equal to new at very moderate prices.) Macon

Six Groups Embracing the Best Values You Have Ever Seen at the Price. 99c

In single lots we have matched some of these Waist values in past sales, but we never presented a similar selection of such extraordinary values—six separate groups. Choose any garment in any group and count it the biggest Waist bargain you ever got around the dollar mark:

square effect yokes of filet medallions inserted between with Val. lace and

White Lawn Waists, with six rows of Val. lace down front, finished in centre with 10 rows of Val. lace forming vest effect; attached trimmed

For Maids and Nurses.

MAIDS' ONE-PIECE DRESSES, of

striped percale; full fronts, pleated

backs, turn-over collar; full skirts

with deep hems; \$1.50 yalues; sale ..... 99c

NURSES' UNIFORMS, of cham-

bray: full fronts; piped pleats; button sleeves; sale \$1.29

MAIDS' HOUSE DRESSES, two-

piece style, of checked gingham;

full fronts; piped collars and pleats; sale........ \$1.29

Groceries.

CRACKERS—National Biscuit Co.

Saltines, red grahams and

MACARONI, SPAGHETTI, VERMI-

CELLI and Italian Letters, our

own importation; regularly 12c.

Ib. cartons, this sale, 10c. dozen. \$1.18

IAMS AND MARMALADES—fresh

shipment of Wm. P. Hartley's

products just received; including

strawberry, raspberry, apricot, damson, rhubarb, green plum, black current, blackberry and

apple, red gooseberry and rasp-

FIGS-extra large, bright, luscious

WARRANTY BRAND CALIFORNIA

dozen. .... \$3.31
LILY BRAND CALIFORNIA
ASPARACUS, large
square can, 34c, each,
3.97

dozen ..... \$3.9

TER, absolutely pure, 34c

TER, absolutely policy 34c 3-lb, crock, each ... 34c LILY WHIT? BRAND PO2K AND BEANS, No. 3 can, plain or with tomato sauce, 14c. \$1.57

Brand, large, so-called quart can; this sale 10c. \$1.14

ASPARAGUS, large square can, 34c. each, \$3.97

and healthful, usually sold at 17c. lb., this sale,

32c

pot, 17c.; 2-lb

pot .....

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cartons; this sale, each

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values; sale .....

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White Lawn Waists, with pointed or | White Lawn Waists, with embroid- | Fine White Lawn Waists, finished ered panels forming front and back with three graduated panels of wide yokes with Val. lace extended to embroidery insertion, with insertions of Val. lace; tucked collar and Waists of very fine white lawn

Waists made of figured white buttoned to side, finished with wide Madras, with eight tailored pleats on embroidery insertion and tucks; front; tailored stock and sleeves. tucked back, long sleeves.

Macris Traveling Trunks. Basement

"Lakeshore" Trunks, made of selected wood, covered with heavy waterproof canvas, protected by stout hardwood slats, iron binding and centre steel bands; brass locks; riveted throughout; lined with cloth and fitted with deep set-up tray. In the Anniversary Sale, at greatly reduced prices:-

28-in, 30-in, 32-in, 34-in, 36-in, 38-in, 40-in, **\$4.84 \$5.19 \$5.56 \$5.92 \$6.14 \$6.49 \$6.86** Mach

# Wool and Silk Flags The measurements given are actual sizes of the Flags—we have

none of the skimped sort. We handle only Government standard All Wool Bunting Flags

2x3-foot .... 59c 4x 6-foot .... \$1.89 8x12-foot 2½x4-foot .... 89c 5x 8-foot .... \$2.69 10x15-foot \$5.09 2½x4-foot ..... 89c 3x 3-100t ..... 81.34 6x10-foot ..... \$1.34 6x10-foot ..... \$3.79 | 15x24-foot ....\$10.96 Mounted Silk Flags, on abony finished staffs:-24x36-in. 12x18-in. 16x24-in. 11c 31c \$1.19

# Maco Sewing Machine Satisfaction —In Service and Cost 3d Floor

HEN we sell a Sewing Machine we assume the obligation of LOOKING AFTER IT FOR A PERIOD OF FIVE YEARS. Ready any time in that period to send a sewing mathine expert out to correct any fault the machine may develop. You may be sure that we handle no machines that are not worthy of such a liberal guarantee. The question of price is never a barrier. In no other store can you buy thoroughly reliable machines so advantageously.

No. 66 Singer Machine, 5 drawer, drop head	\$35.00
Macy's Special Machines	
Parlor Cabinet, drop head. Automatic drop head, 5 drawers. Hand drop head, 5 drawers. Box Top, 7 drawers. Box Top, 3 drawers.  Box Top, 3 drawers.	\$26.89 \$21.89 \$15.74 \$14.89 \$13.74
R. H. Macy's New 'Ped Star"	
Parlor Cabinet Automatic drop Automatic drop head Machine, 6 drawers Automatic drop head, 4 drawers Hand drop, 5 drawers Hand Machines, iron base, no cover	\$28.89 \$20.89 \$18.89 \$13.89 \$6.94
Hand Machines, with oak base and cover. \$8.74 and Excelsion Machines, 7 drawers, drop head.	\$9.94 \$10.74

All Machines Guaranteed for five years.

# MATA ANNIVERSARY Women's Footwear: Special 24 m

PATENT LEATHER AND GLAZED KIDSKIN SHOES -several hundred pairs; grades considered standard \$3.50 

BOOTS, of patent leather and black Russia calfskin; our regular \$4.96 line; special for the sale..... \$3.49

Leather Goods Underpricing In the Anniversary Sale. Main Floor.

ALE co-operation on the part of some of our leather goods manufacturers who are manifesting as much interest in our 50th Anniversary as though it were the golden anni-Macys versary of their houses.

As a result, Bags of various sorts at prices lower than we ordinarily pay—and in some instances for less than cost of production. CARRIAGE AND SWAGGER BAGS, of black, brown, tan or green seal-grain leathers, moire and leather lined; leather handles,

patent locks; fitted with large size purse; regularly VANITY AND CARRIAGE BAGS, of Levant, Morocco, pigskin or real seal, in black and fancy colors, lined with leather or silk moire; strap-back or leather handles, gilt or gun metal trimmings; regular prices ranging up to \$4.74; this sale. \$1.98

CARRIAGE, BALLOON AND SWAGGER BAGS, of Morocco or automobile leather, in black, red, green, blue or heliotrope; line! with silk or leather; leather handles; with or without purses; regular prices ranged up to \$3.49; this sale. \$1.49 CARRIAGE BAGS, of genuine Morocco, in black, green or blue;

leather lining and handle; fitted with purse; regular price \$3.24; this sale..... CARRIAGE BAGS AND BACK-STRAP ENVELOPES, of hornback alligator, fancy calfskin or genuine pin or mat seal, with single or double flaps; leather-lined throughout; regular

prices ranged up to \$4.96; this sale..... SWAGGER BAGS, of real seal, fancy calfskin or long-grain Morocco, in black or fancy colors, lined with silk or leather; double inside frames; purse titting; regular prices

ANITY AND CARRIAGE BAGS, of real seal or fancy calfskin, frames with oxidized, gold-plated or gun-metal tinish; some in the new English shapes; lined with fancy silk and fitted with purse; others in Vanity style, fitted with purse and mirror; regular prices ranged up to \$12.00; this sale..... \$4.89

CARRIAGE BAGS, of real seal or fancy calfskin, lined with silk; handsomely etched metal frames; purse fitting; regular prices ranged up to \$11.24; this sale..... \$6.49

# \$8.24 Bed Outfits Sale, \$4.89

A better-than-average value from the February Sale of Furniture, this third week of the 50th Anniversary:-

WHITE ENAMELLED IRON BED, 3-FOOT SIZE, COMPLETE WITH ALL-IRON SPRING AND COTTON-FILLED MATTRESS.

# Macro \$32.24 Davenport Beds, \$28.24

Combination Davenport Beds-patented design-may be changed almost instantly from davenport to a bed.

Golden Oak, mahogany-tinished or weathered oak frame, covered with fancy velour in your choice of colors.

# Sale of Kline's Havana Cigars Close to Half Prices MA FILE

INNIVERSARY Sale news for smokers of Havana Cigars NNIVERSARY Sale news for shipself without making any who care to cut their bills in half without making any apologies to their Havana palates. In all, 90,000 Cigars, all Havana filler and wrapper,

from the Tampa factories of E. A. Kline & Co. 

EL SYMPHONIES SMOKERS and Rothschilds; boxes of 50; \$1.49 ordinarily \$2.50 and \$3.00; sale.....

(Some of the above, in boxes of 25, at correspondingly low prices.) Macro MISCAL

# Hot Water Bottles. Regularly \$1,17 Each Sale 79c

Macy's "Diamond" Brand Rubber Hot Water Bottles—for years one of our Regular stock standards; fully warranted; sold regularly at \$1.17 each. In this sale but 250 of them

at 79c. each. Macx's-\$6.49 Travelling Bags, \$4:87. Basement.

Oxford style Bags-100 in all-made of solid sole leather; lined throughout with leather, extra heavy leather corners. with large bell rivets; all seams hand sewn; solid brass locks and trimmings.

## ylacres. "Sunnybrock" Mints, 15c Packages at 5c

In tin boxes-boxes and mints similar to the well-known "U-all-no" After Dinner Mint

Candies. This sale, 5e a box.

# Sale of Roller Skater. EXTENSION ROLLER SKATES

for boys and girls, half and all clamp; also with full heel strap; fitted with steel wheels -an excellent wearing skate; value \$1.24; sale 89c EXTENSION BALL - BEARING ROLLER SKATES, for boys and girls, with nickelled and highly polished foot plate, in half and all-clamp; fitted with high-grade ball-bearing steel rollers; value \$3.00; \$2.39
RINK ROLLER SKATES, for men

proved type; value \$3.34 Macors -

and women, with key-locking

clamp device and steel ball-

hearing rollers of the latest ap-

Canary Birds & Cages. HARTZ MOUNTAIN CA-NARIES, 200 in all; male birds, in fuli song; ordinarily \$2.00 to \$3.00 each; Anniversary sale special... \$1.49

SOLID BRASS WIRE CAGES, 100 in all, each complete with perch, cups and swing; regularly \$1.24; Anniversary sale special. 84c